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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Ivan BELLA, et al.

Appl. No: 09/881,746
Confirmation No: 8757

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For: SCALEABLE OBJECT
RECOGNITION WITH A BELIEF
MODEL

Art Unit: 2121

Examiner: Meltin BELL

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Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.121

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

No extension of time fee or claim fee is believed to be required in connection with this Amendment. If an extension of time is needed to prevent abandonment of this application, such extension of time is hereby requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Please charge any fee deficiency or credit overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, and notify the undersigned accordingly.

In response to the Office Action mailed November 6, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

